

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STEVEN AMES BROWN,

Plaintiff,

No. C 08-02348 JSW

v.

**ORDER DISCHARGING TO  
SHOW CAUSE**

ANDREW B. STROUD, and STROUD  
PRODUCTIONS AND ENTERPRISES, INC.,

Defendants/Counterclaimants

v.

STEVEN AMES BROWN and ESTATE OF  
NINA SIMONE,

Counterdefendants.

The Court has received the response to the order to show cause filed Counterclaimant Andrew Stroud and Stroud Productions and Enterprises, Inc. and Andy Stroud, Inc.'s (collectively, "Stroud"). Although the Court does not condone Stroud's delay in responding the motion to dismiss, the Court shall consider Stroud's opposition and address this matter on the merits. Therefore the Court will provide Steven Ames Brown ("Brown") and the Estate of Nina Simone ("Estate") until September 20, 2011 to file a reply in support of their motion to dismiss. The order to show cause dated July 19, 2011 is HEREBY DISCHARGED. However, Stroud is

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admonished that the Court will sanction any further delays or violations of the Court's order or  
Local Rules.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: September 6, 2011

  
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JEFFREY S. WHITE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE